

Covid-19 Vaccination Clinic Update

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This week Seneca Healthcare District (SHD) received a total of 200 Moderna COVID-19 vaccines from Plumas County Public Health Agency (PCPHA). On Wednesday, February 10, and Thursday February 11, SHD administered 190 vaccines during our vaccination clinic at the Memorial Hall in Chester. Vaccinations were provided to patients that fall under the (Phase 1b Tier 1), ages 75 years and over who made appointments through PCPHA. The remaining 10 vaccines are scheduled to be administered to SHD Senior Nursing Residents.

SHD would like to thank and acknowledge Chester Fire, Peninsula Fire and West Almanor Fire and Rescue. These three organizations worked side-by-side with SHD on both days. Our fire/rescue partners assisted with the administration of vaccinations, monitoring of those vaccinated and provided Emergency Services transport support to act as an overall safety net for the vaccine clinic. Thank you again to all these organizations; we appreciate your support in our joint effort to protect our community. We would also like to thank PCPHA and Plumas County Facilities for allowing SHD the use of the Memorial Hall for the vaccination clinic.

According to PCPHA's "Plumas County is currently vaccinating Phase 1b Tier 1. The state has prioritized 65 and older regardless of underlying medical condition for Phase 1b Tier 1. Unfortunately, at this time due to lack of available vaccines Plumas County has prioritized 75 and older to be vaccinated, as recommended by the state, if vaccines are limited. As soon as 75 and older have been vaccinated, then the next group will be 65-74 regardless of underlying medical condition."

PCPHA recommends checking their website https://plumascounty.us/2761/COVID-19-Vaccine regularly for updates. This website has an information portal where those wanting the vaccine can enter their information and add their name to the PCPHA's vaccination list. Seneca Healthcare District will continue to share information with the public as we receive updates.





